branch as on 31-12-1987 and the amount involved are as indicated below:—

	No. of accounts	Amount
		(in Rs.)
Savings Accounts . .	109	70,600.81
Current Accounts . .	1	726.90
TOTAL :	110	71,327.71

(c) and (d) The unclaimed deposits with the banks represent their liability and have to be paid when claimed by the depositors. Since these unclaimed deposits form part of the bank's overall funds they are already deployed by the bank for various purposes.

Incentives to industrial units for installation of pollution control equipments

2150. SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to offer various incentives to the industrial units which will instal pollution control equipments in their units;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) the nature of incentives likely to be provided to those industrial units?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI): (a) to (c) No, Sir. However, there are certain fiscal incentives already available to encourage industries for installing pollution control equipment. These include Depreciation Allowance @ 50 per cent, Investment Allowance @35 per cent and rebate of 70 per cent on Cess levied under the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Cess Act, 1977. Exemption from tax on capital gains is also available to industries for shifting from congested areas.

Seizure of brown sugar in Gujarat

2141. SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that brown sugar worth Rs. 1 crore in the international Market was seized near Rajkot in Gujarat during the second week of February, 1988;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) whether any arrests have been made in this connection; and

(d) what action Government have taken against the persons apprehended?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI AJIT PANJA): (a) to (d) Presumably, the question relates to the seizure of 1 kilogram of brown sugar made in the second week of February, 1988 in Kutch District of Gujarat state. Tre seizure was effected by the Customs Officers on 9.2.1988 from one Vithalji D. Soni. The drug was said to have been given by another, Jilubha Khimaji Jadeja of Ramvav village (Kutch) The seized drug was reportedly of Pakistani origin. Both the above persons have been arrested for appropriate action under the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985.

Setting up of a Bank Protection force

2142. SHRI PUTTAPAGA RADHAKRISHNA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question No. 2287 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 17th March, 1987 and state:

(a) whether Government have since raised a force for the protection of Banks; and